[11.2011 fugitive location warrant]
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

12 MISC 542

IN THE MATTER OF AN APPLICATION
OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
FOR ORDERS AUTHORIZING THE
DISCLOSURE OF LOCATION DATA
RELATING TO A SPECIFIED WIRELESS
TELEPHONE

AFFIDAVIT IN SUPPORT OF APPLICATION

EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK, SS:

- I, Ayesha Winston, being first duly sworn, hereby depose and state as follows:
- 1. I make this affidavit in support of an application for a search warrant under Federal Rule of Criminal Procedure 41 and 18 U.S.C. §§ 2703(c)(1)(A) for information about the prospective and historical location of 718-551-1023, subscribed to by Edward Byam (the "SUBJECT TELEPHONE"), whose wireless telephone service provider is Verizon Wireless ("Service Provider"). The SUBJECT TELEPHONE is described herein and in Attachment A, and the prospective and historical location information to be seized is described herein and in Attachment B.
- 2. I have been a Special Agent with the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives ("ATF") for approximately seven years. I am responsible for conducting and

On August 13, 2012, the Honorable Steven M. Gold issued an order for precision location data for the SUBJECT TELEPHONE. However, I have been informed by a representative with the United States Marshals Service, whose assistance I have sought in arresting Edward Byam, that the Service Provider Verizon Wireless does not have the capability to provide such precision data.

assisting in investigations into the activities of individuals and criminal groups responsible for crimes related to unlawful possession and use of firearms, including armed robberies. These investigations are conducted both in an undercover and overt capacity. I have participated in investigations involving search warrants and arrest warrants. As a result of my training and experience, I am familiar with the techniques and methods of operation used by individuals involved in criminal activity to conceal their activities from detection by law enforcement authorities.

- observations, my training and experience, and information obtained from other agents and witnesses. Because the purpose of this affidavit is limited to demonstrating probable cause for the requested warrant, it does not set forth all of my knowledge about this matter. In addition, when I rely on statements made by others, such statements are set forth only in part and in substance unless otherwise indicated.
- 4. Based on the facts set forth in this affidavit, there is probable cause to believe that Edward Byam is a fugitive, and that he has used, and is currently using, the SUBJECT TELEPHONE. There is therefore probable cause to believe that the prospective and historical location information, including but not limited to E-911 Phase II data (or other

precise location information) concerning the SUBJECT TELEPHONE (the "REQUESTED INFORMATION"), 2 as described in Attachment B, will enable law enforcement officers to locate Byam and execute that arrest warrant.

Background

5. On August 8, 2012, an arrest warrant for Edward Byam's arrest was issued by the Honorable James Orenstein in United States v. Byam, Misc. No. 12-743, for Hobbs Act robbery in violation of 18 U.S.C. § 1951(a), and unlawful use of a firearm, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 924(c). A

² Such information shall, where other information is unavailable, include records reflecting the tower and antenna face ("cell site") used by the SUBJECT TELEPHONE at the start and end of any call or text message transmission. In requesting cell site information, the government does not concede that such cell site records - routinely retained by wireless carriers as business records - may only be obtained via a warrant issued on probable cause. See In re Application, 632 F. Supp. 2d 202 (E.D.N.Y. 2008) (authorizing prospective acquisition of cell-site records under combined authority of 18 U.S.C. 2703(d) & 3121 et seq.); In re Application, 460 F. Supp. 2d 448 (S.D.N.Y. 2006) (same). Moreover, I have been informed by Assistant United States Attorney Una A. Dean that the Stored Communication Act ("SCA"), 18 U.S.C. § 2703(c)(1), authorizes the government to require the provider to disclose the information pertinent to this application by obtaining a warrant, a court order under § 2703(d), or the consent of the subscriber, with the means employed having implications on notice requirements, among other things. In the instant case, the government has opted to pursue a warrant based upon probable cause to obtain the information, though the government could obtain that information through a lesser evidentiary showing. See 18 U.S.C. § 2703(d) (authorizing issuance of § 2703(d) order upon a showing of "specific and articulable facts showing . . . reasonable grounds to believe that . . . the records or other information sought are relevant and material to an ongoing criminal investigation").

copy of the complaint and arrest warrant are attached hereto as Exhibit 1.

- 6. On three occasions since June 4, 2012, the ATF has conducted surveillance of suspected residences of Byam's. To date, however, we have been unable to ascertain his whereabouts.
- 7. Based on the facts set forth below, probable cause exists to believe that the requested prospective and historical location data set forth in Attachment B will enable law enforcement officers to locate Byam and execute that arrest warrant.

The SUBJECT TELEPHONE

- 8. Documents received from Verizon Wireless on August 1, 2012, reveal that Byam subscribed to the SUBJECT TELEPHONE beginning on June 11, 2012. These documents also reveal that the SUBJECT TELEPHONE began contacting a telephone number subscribed to by co-conspirator Akeem Monsalvatge on June 11, 2012, and had contact with the Monsalvatge phone as recently as July 30, 2012.
- 9. There is therefore probable cause to believe that
 Byam is using the SUBJECT TELEPHONE and that the REQUESTED
 INFORMATION set forth in Attachment B will enable law enforcement

On August 8, 2012, the Honorable James Orenstein also issued an arrest warrant, in <u>United States v. Monsalvatge</u>, Misc. No. 12-744, for Monsalvatge's arrest. A copy of the complaint and arrest warrant is attached hereto as Exhibit 2.

officers to locate Byam and execute the arrest warrant.

AUTHORIZATION REQUEST

- 10. Based on the foregoing, I request that the Court issue the proposed search warrant, pursuant to Federal Rule of Criminal Procedure 41 and 18 U.S.C. § 2703(c).
- I further request, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3103a(b) and Federal Rule of Criminal Procedure 41(f)(3), that the Court authorize the officer executing the warrant to delay notice until 30 days after the collection authorized by the warrant has been completed. This delay is justified because there is reasonable cause to believe that providing immediate notification of the warrant may have an adverse result, as defined in 18 U.S.C. § 2705. Providing immediate notice to the subscribers or users of the SUBJECT TELEPHONE would seriously jeopardize the ongoing investigation, as such disclosure would give the targets of the investigation an opportunity to destroy evidence, harm or threaten victims or other witnesses, change patterns of behavior, notify confederates, and continue to flee from and evade prosecution. Moreover, to the extent that the warrant authorizes the seizure of any tangible property, any wire or electronic communication (as defined in 18 U.S.C. § 2510), or any stored wire or electronic information, there is reasonable necessity for the seizure for the reasons set forth above.
 - 12. I further request that the Court direct the

Service Provider to disclose to the government any information described in Attachment B that is within the Service Provider's possession, custody, or control. I also request that the Court direct the Service Provider to furnish the government all information, facilities, and technical assistance necessary to accomplish the collection of the information described in Attachment B unobtrusively and with a minimum of interference with the Service Provider's services, by, inter alia, initiating a signal to determine the locations of the SUBJECT TELEPHONE on the Service Provider's networks or with such other reference points as may be reasonably available, and at such intervals and times directed by the government. The government shall reasonably compensate the Service Provider for reasonable expenses incurred in furnishing such facilities or assistance.

- 13. I further request that the Court authorize execution of the warrant at any time of day or night, owing to the potential need to locate the SUBJECT TELEPHONE outside of daytime hours.
- 14. I further request that the Court order that all papers in support of this application, including the affidavit and search warrant, be sealed until further order of the Court. These documents discuss an ongoing criminal investigation.

 Disclosure of this application and these orders would seriously jeopardize the ongoing investigation, as such a disclosure would

give the targets of the investigation an opportunity to destroy evidence, harm or threaten victims or other witnesses, change patterns of behavior, notify confederates and continue to flee from or evade prosecution.

U.S.C. § 2705(b) and for the reasons stated above, the Court issue an Order commanding Verizon Wireless not to notify any person (including the subscribers or customers of the account listed in the attached warrant) of the existence of the attached warrant until further order of the Court.

Dated:

Brooklyn, New York August 14, 2012

> AYESHA WINSTON Special Agent

day of August, 2012

ATF

Sworn t

THE HONORABLE STEVEN M GOLD UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

ATTACHMENT A

Property To Be Searched

- 1. The cellular telephone assigned call number 718-5511023, subscribed to by Edward Byam, with Device ID 99000109356527
 (the "SUBJECT TELEPHONE"), whose wireless service provider is
 Verizon Wireless, a company headquartered at Basking Ridge, NJ.
- 2. Information about the location of the SUBJECT TELEPHONE that is within the possession, custody, or control of Verizon Wireless, including information about the location of the cellular telephone if it is subsequently assigned a different call number.
- 3. Records or other information about the location of the SUBJECT TELEPHONE from July 14, 2012, until 11:00 a.m. Eastern Time on the date that the Court issues the warrant, that is within the possession, custody, or control of Verizon Wireless.

ATTACHMENT B

Particular Things to be Seized

All prospective information about the location of the SUBJECT TELEPHONE described in Attachment A for a period of thirty days, during all times of day and night. "Information about the location of the SUBJECT TELEPHONE" includes all available E-911 Phase II data, GPS data, latitude-longitude data, and other precise location information, as well as all data about which "cell towers" (i.e., antenna towers covering specific geographic areas) and "sectors" (i.e., faces of the towers) received a radio signal from the cellular telephone described in Attachment A.

All recorded information identifying the base station towers and sectors that received transmissions from the SUBJECT TELEPHONE at the beginning and the end of each communication to or from the SUBJECT TELEPHONE, including calls or text message transmissions, and the mobile switching center serving the SUBJECT TELEPHONE during any such communications, for the period from July 14, 2012, until 11:00 a.m. Eastern Time on the date that the Court issues the warrant.

To the extent that the information described in the previous two paragraphs (hereinafter, "Location Information") is within the possession, custody, or control of Verizon Wireless, Verizon Wireless is required to disclose the Location Information to the government. In addition, Verizon Wireless must furnish the government all information, facilities, and technical assistance necessary to accomplish the collection of the Location Information unobtrusively and with a minimum of interference with Verizon Wireless' services, including by initiating a signal to determine the location of the SUBJECT TELEPHONE on Verizon Wireless' network or with such other reference points as may be reasonably available, and at such intervals and times directed by the government. The government shall compensate Verizon Wireless for reasonable expenses incurred in furnishing such facilities or assistance.

To the extent that the Location Information includes tangible property, wire or electronic communications (as defined in 18 U.S.C. § 2510), or stored wire or electronic information, there is reasonable necessity for the seizure. <u>See</u> 18 U.S.C. § 3103a(b)(2).

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F.#2011R00370

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

- against -

EDWARD BYAM,

Defendant.

TO BE FILED UNDER SEAL

AFFIDAVIT IN SUPPORT OF ARREST WARRANT

(18 U.S.C. §§ 1951(a), 924(c)(1)(A)(ii), 2 and 3551 et seg.)

EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK, SS:

AYESHA WINSTON, being duly sworn, deposes and states that she is a Special Agent with the United States Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives ("ATF") duly appointed according to law and acting as such.

Upon information and belief, in or about and between October 2011 and February 2012, within the Eastern District of New York and elsewhere, the defendant EDWARD BYAM together with others, did knowingly and intentionally conspire to obstruct, delay and affect commerce and the movement of articles and commodities in commerce, by robbery of a Pay-O-Matic check cashing store, and to commit and threaten physical violence to a person in furtherance of the robbery.

(Title 18, United States Code, Section 1951(a) and 3551 et seq.)

Upon information and belief, in or about and between October 2011 and February 2012, within the Eastern District of New York, the defendant EDWARD BYAM, together with others, did knowingly and intentionally use and carry a firearm during and in relation to a crime of violence, to wit: a conspiracy to commit a robbery of a Pay-O-Matic check cashing store, and did knowingly and intentionally possess such firearm in furtherance of said crime of violence, which firearm was brandished.

(Title 18, United States Code, Sections 924(c)(1)(A)(ii), 2 and 3551 <u>et seq</u>.)

The source of your deponent's information and the grounds for her belief are as follows:

Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives ("ATF") for approximately seven years. I am responsible for conducting and assisting in investigations into the activities of individuals and criminal groups responsible for crimes related to unlawful possession and use of firearms, including armed robberies. These investigations are conducted both in an undercover and overt capacity. I have participated in investigations involving search warrants and arrest warrants. As a result of my training and experience, I am familiar with the techniques and methods of operation used by individuals involved in criminal activity to

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conceal their activities from detection by law enforcement authorities.

- 2. The facts in this affidavit come from my personal observations, my training and experience, and information obtained from other agents and witnesses. Because the purpose of this affidavit is limited to demonstrating probable cause for the requested warrant, it does not set forth all of my knowledge about this matter. In addition, when I rely on statements made by others, such statements are set forth only in part and in substance unless otherwise indicated.
- 3. On February 14, 2012, Pay-O-Matic, a check cashing establishment located in Queens, New York, was robbed by three men. According to an employee of Pay-O-Matic, on the day of the robbery, three men dressed as New York City Police Department ("NYPD") officers approached the employee as she was arriving at work at approximately 8:00 a.m. They had exited a dark-colored SUV with a broken rear window, which was parked outside of the Pay-O-Matic. The men showed the employee a photograph of her house and escorted her into the store.
- 4. Once inside, one of the men brandished a firearm, and the three men proceeded to rob the establishment, removing approximately \$200,000 from an unlocked safe. They then left the store, entered the SUV and drove away.
- 5. The three men left behind the photograph of the employee's home. On the back of the photograph was printed

"Walgreens 11316 12/03/11." Based on the store number "11316," the NYPD determined that the photograph had been printed at a Walgreens located at 125-55 Farmers Boulevard in Queens, New York. Thereafter, Walgreens employees provided a receipt for the photograph, which showed that the photograph was printed for "Byam, E."

- 6. Following the robbery, the details of the robbery, including surveillance photographs of the robbers, were broadcast on local news outlets. The NYPD subsequently received a tip that the robbers appeared to be wearing high-end special effects masks.
- 7. Composite Effects, also known as "CFX," is a company that manufactures high-end special effects masks.

 Documents received from Composite Effects show that "Edward Byam" purchased three "Mac the Guy" masks on or about October 25, 2011 (invoice number 4389). "Mac the Guy" masks are Caucasian male masks that match the appearances of the robbers as captured on Pay-O-Matic surveillance cameras on the day of the robbery. In placing his order, BYAM gave the email address "newdaddyl@aol.com" as his email address.
- 8. On November 9, 2011, Composite Effects received an email from "newdaddyl@aol.com," in which BYAM wrote, "my name is edward byam invoice num 4389, i placed my order on oct. 25 n was wondering if my order will be honored on the schedule date in nov?????"

9. On November 30, 2011, Composite Effects received another email from "newdaddyl@aol.com," in which BYAM confirmed receipt of the masks and wrote, "im sending this message to say im extremly pleased by cfx work on the mask . . . the realism of the mask is unbelievable."

WHEREFORE your deponent respectfully requests that an arrest warrant issue for the defendant EDWARD BYAM, so that he may be dealt with according to law. I further request that the Court order that this application, including the affidavit and arrest warrant, be sealed until further order of the Court. These documents discuss an ongoing criminal investigation. Disclosure of this application and these orders would seriously jeopardize the ongoing investigation, as such a disclosure would give the targets of the investigation an opportunity to destroy evidence, harm or threaten victims or other witnesses, change patterns of behavior, notify confederates and flee from or evade prosecution.

Ayesha Winston Special Agent, ATF

Sworn to before me this day of August 2012

THE HONORABLE JAMES ORENSTEIN UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

for the

Eastern District of New York	
United States of America v. EDWARD BYAM, Defendant	Case No. 12 M 743
ARRES	T WARRANT
To: Any authorized law enforcement officer	
(name of person to be arrested) Edward Byam who is accused of an offense or violation based on the follo	refore a United States magistrate judge without unnecessary delay with document filed with the court: Information
☐ Probation Violation Petition ☐ Supervised Release	
This offense is briefly described as follows: Hobbs Act robbery, in violation of Title 18, United States Corime of violence, in violation of Title 18, United States Co	Code, Section 1951(a), and brandishing a firearm in relation to a ode, Section 924(c)(1)(A)(ii).
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Date: 08/08/2012	MUX-
	Issuing officer's signature
City and state: Brooklyn, NY	Hon. James Orenstein Printed name and title
	Return
This warrant was received on (date) at (city and state)	, and the person was arrested on (date)
Date:	Arresting officer's signature
	Printed name and title

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

- against -

AKEEM MONSALVATGE,

Defendant.

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AFFIDAVIT IN SUPPORT OF ARREST WARRANT
(18 U.S.C. §§ 1951(a), 924(c)(1)(A)(ii), 2 and 3551 et seq.)

EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK, SS:

AYESHA WINSTON, being duly sworn, deposes and states that she is a Special Agent with the United States Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives ("ATF") duly appointed according to law and acting as such.

Upon information and belief, in or about and between October 2011 and February 2012, within the Eastern District of New York and elsewhere, the defendant AKEEM MONSALVATGE together with others, did knowingly and intentionally conspire to obstruct, delay and affect commerce and the movement of articles and commodities in commerce, by robbery of a Pay-O-Matic check cashing store, and to commit and threaten physical violence to a person in furtherance of the robbery.

(Title 18, United States Code, Section 1951(a) and 3551 et seq.)

Upon information and belief, in or about and between October 2011 and February 2012, within the Eastern District of New York, the defendant AKEEM MONSALVATGE, together with others, did knowingly and intentionally use and carry a firearm during and in relation to a crime of violence, to wit: a conspiracy to commit a robbery of a Pay-O-Matic check cashing store, and did knowingly and intentionally possess such firearm in furtherance of said crime of violence, which firearm was brandished.

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- 2. The facts in this affidavit come from my personal observations, my training and experience, and information obtained from other agents and witnesses. Because the purpose of this affidavit is limited to demonstrating probable cause for the requested warrant, it does not set forth all of my knowledge about this matter. In addition, when I rely on statements made by others, such statements are set forth only in part and in substance unless otherwise indicated.
- 3. On February 14, 2012, Pay-O-Matic, a check cashing establishment located in Queens, New York, was robbed by three men. According to an employee of Pay-O-Matic, on the day of the robbery, three men dressed as New York City Police Department ("NYPD") officers approached the employee as she was arriving at work at approximately 8:00 a.m. They had exited a dark-colored SUV with a broken rear window, which was parked outside of the Pay-O-Matic. The men showed the employee a photograph of her house and escorted her into the store.
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"Walgreens 11316 12/03/11." Based on the store number "11316," the NYPD determined that the photograph had been printed at a Walgreens located at 125-55 Farmers Boulevard in Queens, New York. Thereafter, Walgreens employees provided a receipt for the photograph, which showed that the photograph was printed for "Byam, E." The receipt also contained a telephone number, ending in 5213, which is subscribed to Jodi Ferguson, 16913 110th Road, Jamaica, NY 11433 and Edward Byam, 18918 Keeseville Avenue, Jamaica, New York, 11412 (the "Byam Telephone").

- 6. Following the robbery, the details of the robbery, including surveillance photographs of the robbers, were broadcast on local news outlets. The NYPD subsequently received a tip that the robbers appeared to be wearing high-end special effects masks.
- 7. Composite Effects, also known as "CFX," is a company that manufactures high-end special effects masks.

 Documents received from Composite Effects show that "Edward Byam" purchased three "Mac the Guy" masks on or about October 25, 2011 (invoice number 4389). "Mac the Guy" masks are Caucasian male masks that match the appearances of the robbers as captured on Pay-O-Matic surveillance cameras on the day of the robbery.
- 8. Composite Effects documents show that the masks were shipped to "Edward Byam C/o Erica, 153-50 89th Ave, Apt. 939, Jamica [sic], NY 11432." Database searches reveal that an individual named "Erica Malloy" resides at this address. UPS

tracking information shows that the masks were delivered to this address on November 29, 2011.

- 9. On September 8, 2010, the defendant AKEEM

 MONSALVATGE was arrested and released on bond by the New York

 City Police Department ("NYPD") for a robbery of another

 Pay-O-Matic store in Queens that occurred on February 24, 2010.

 MONSALVATGE testified before a grand jury in connection with this arrest on February 10, 2011. During his testimony, he stated that Erika Malloy is his wife and also testified as to his phone number, a number ending in 2377 (the "Monsalvatge Telephone").
- 10. A review of telephone toll records has revealed that there were approximately 89 calls between the Monsalvatge Telephone and the Byam Telephone during the two weeks prior the robbery, approximately 22 of which occurred on the day of the robbery.

WHEREFORE your deponent respectfully requests that an arrest warrant issue for the defendant AKEEM MONSTALVATGE, so that he may be dealt with according to law. I further request that the Court order that this application, including the affidavit and arrest warrant, be sealed until further order of the Court. These documents discuss an ongoing criminal investigation. Disclosure of this application and these orders would seriously jeopardize the ongoing investigation, as such a disclosure would give the targets of the investigation an opportunity to destroy evidence, harm or

threaten victims or other witnesses, change patterns of behavior, notify confederates and flee from or evade prosecution.

Ayesha Winston

Special Agent, ATF

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Sworn to before me this August 2012

THE HONORABLE JAMES ORENSTEIN UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

for the

Eastern District of New York		
United States of America		
v.	Case No. 12 N 744	
AKEEM MONSALVATGE,	Case No. 12 11 7 4 4	
Defendant	— <i>)</i>	
ARR	REST WARRANT	
To: Any authorized law enforcement officer		
YOU ARE COMMANDED to arrest and brin	ng before a United States magistrate judge without unnecessary delay	
(name of person to be arrested) Akeem Monsalvatge	,	
who is accused of an offense or violation based on the	following document filed with the court:	
☐ Indictment ☐ Superseding Indictment ☐	☐ Information ☐ Superseding Information	
☐ Probation Violation Petition ☐ Supervised Re	elease Violation Petition	
This offense is briefly described as follows: Hobbs Act robbery, in violation of Title 18, United State crime of violence, in violation of Title 18, United State	tes Code, Section 1951(a), and brandishing a firearm in relation to a code, Section 924(c)(1)(A)(ii).	
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	Printed name and title	
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This warrant was received on (date) at (city and state)	, and the person was arrested on (date)	
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	Printed name and title	

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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TO BE FILED UNDER SEAL

IN RE APPLICATION OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA FOR AN ORDER PURSUANT TO 18 U.S.C. § 2705(b)

ORDER

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Application having been made for a search warrant under Federal Rule of Criminal Procedure 41 and 18 U.S.C. §§ 2703(c)(1)(A) for information about the location of the cellular telephone assigned call number 718-551-1023, subscribed to by Edward Byam (the "SUBJECT TELEPHONE"), whose wireless telephone service provider is Verizon Wireless (the "Service Provider"), as further described in Attachment B to the search warrant (the "REQUESTED INFORMATION");

The Court finds that there is reasonable cause to believe that providing immediate notification of the execution of the warrant may seriously jeopardize an ongoing investigation, including by giving targets an opportunity to flee or continue flight from prosecution, destroy or tamper with evidence, change patterns of behavior, or notify confederates. See 18 U.S.C. §§ 2705(b)(2), 2705(b)(3) and 2705(b)(5). Furthermore, the execution of this warrant will not result in the seizure of any tangible property or any wire or electronic communication (as defined in 18 U.S.C. § 2510). To the extent that the warrant

authorizes the seizure of any stored wire or electronic information, that seizure is expressly authorized by 18 U.S.C. § 2703(c)(1)(A).

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED pursuant to Federal Rule of Criminal Procedure 41 and 18 U.S.C. § 2703(c)(1)(A) that law enforcement officers, including but not limited to agents with the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives ("ATF") and the United States Marshals Service ("USMS"), beginning at any time within ten days of the date of this Order and for a period not to exceed 30 days, may obtain the REQUESTED INFORMATION concerning the SUBJECT TELEPHONE, with said authority to extend to any time of the day or night as required, including when the SUBJECT TELEPHONE leaves the Eastern District of New York; all of said authority being expressly limited to ascertaining the physical location of the SUBJECT TELEPHONE and expressly excluding the contents of any communications conducted by the user(s) of the SUBJECT TELEPHONE.

It is further ORDERED that Verizon Wireless (the "service provider") assist law enforcement, including but not limited to agents with the ATF and USMS, by providing all information, facilities and technical assistance needed to ascertain the REQUESTED INFORMATION, including by initiating a signal to determine the location of the SUBJECT TELEPHONE on the service provider's network or with such other reference points as

may be reasonably available and at such intervals and times as directed by the law enforcement agent serving the proposed order, and furnish the technical assistance necessary to accomplish the acquisition unobtrusively and with a minimum of interference with such services as the service provider accords the user(s) of the SUBJECT TELEPHONE.

It is further ORDERED that the ATF compensate the service provider for reasonable expenses incurred in complying with any such request.

It is further ORDERED that the Court's Order and the accompanying Affidavit submitted in support thereof be sealed until further Order of the Court, except that copies of the Court's Order in full or redacted form may be maintained by the United States Attorney's Office, and may be served on law enforcement officers, and other government and contract personnel acting under the supervision of such law enforcement officers, and the service provider as necessary to effectuate the Court's Order.

It is further ORDERED that this warrant be returned to the issuing judicial officer within 14 days after the termination of the monitoring period authorized by the warrant.

It is further ORDERED that, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3103a(b) and Federal Rule of Criminal Procedure 41(f)(3), service of notice may be delayed for a period of 30 days after the

termination of the monitoring period authorized by the warrant or any extension thereof.

It is further ORDERED under 18 U.S.C. § 2705(b) that Verizon Wireless shall not disclose the existence of the attached warrant, or this Order of the Court, to the listed subscriber or to any other person, unless and until otherwise authorized to do so by the Court, except that Verizon Wireless may disclose the attached warrant to an attorney for Verizon Wireless for the purpose of receiving legal advice.

It is further ORDERED that this Order apply to any changed mobile telephone number subsequently assigned to the SUBJECT TELEPHONE within the period of this Order.

It is further ORDERED that the application and this Order are sealed until otherwise ordered by the Court.

Dated:

Brooklyn, New York August 14, 2012

THE HONORABLE STEVEN M. GOLD UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

for the Eastern District of New York

In the Matter of the Search of)
(Briefly describe the property to be searched or identify the person by name and address) cellular telephone assigned call number 718-551-1023, subscribed to by Edward	Case No. 12 MISC 542
Byam, whose wireless service provider is Verizon Wireless.	,))
SEARCH AND SEIZ	ZURE WARRANT
To: Any authorized law enforcement officer	
An application by a federal law enforcement officer of the following person or property located in the	or an attorney for the government requests the search stern District of New York
Sidentify the person or describe the property to be searched and give its loc See Attachment A	
The person or property to be searched, described above property to be seized): See Attachment B, all of which constitute instrumentalities States Code, Sections 1951(a) and 924(c).	ve, is believed to conceal (identify the person or describe the es, evidence and fruits of violations of Title 18, United
I find that the affidavit(s), or any recorded testimony, property.	establish probable cause to search and seize the person or
YOU ARE COMMANDED to execute this warrant	on or before August 28, 2012 (not to exceed 14 days)
☐ in the daytime 6:00 a.m. to 10 p.m. at any tire establish	ne in the day or night as I find reasonable cause has been
Unless delayed notice is authorized below, you must a taken to the person from whom, or from whose premises, the place where the property was taken.	give a copy of the warrant and a receipt for the property property was taken, or leave the copy and receipt at the
The officer executing this warrant, or an officer present inventory as required by law and promptly return this warrant duty magistrate .	nt during the execution of the warrant, must prepare an and inventory to United States Magistrate Judge
(name)	
	lay notice to the person who, or whose property, will be days (not to exceed 30).
Date and time issued: 8/4/12 30 M	justifying, the later specific date of
1 '	Julige's signature
City and state: Brooklyn, NY	Magistrate Judge Steven M. Gold Printed name and title

ATTACHMENT A

Property To Be Searched

- 1. The cellular telephone assigned call number 718-5511023, subscribed to by Edward Byam, with Device ID 99000109356527
 (the "SUBJECT TELEPHONE"), whose wireless service provider is
 Verizon Wireless, a company headquartered at Basking Ridge, NJ.
- 2. Information about the location of the SUBJECT TELEPHONE that is within the possession, custody, or control of Verizon Wireless, including information about the location of the cellular telephone if it is subsequently assigned a different call number.
- 3. Records or other information about the location of the SUBJECT TELEPHONE from July 14, 2012, until 11:00 a.m. Eastern Time on the date that the Court issues the warrant, that is within the possession, custody, or control of Verizon Wireless.

ATTACHMENT B

Particular Things to be Seized

All prospective information about the location of the SUBJECT TELEPHONE described in Attachment A for a period of thirty days, during all times of day and night. "Information about the location of the SUBJECT TELEPHONE" includes all available E-911 Phase II data, GPS data, latitude-longitude data, and other precise location information, as well as all data about which "cell towers" (i.e., antenna towers covering specific geographic areas) and "sectors" (i.e., faces of the towers) received a radio signal from the cellular telephone described in Attachment A.

All recorded information identifying the base station towers and sectors that received transmissions from the SUBJECT TELEPHONE at the beginning and the end of each communication to or from the SUBJECT TELEPHONE, including calls or text message transmissions, and the mobile switching center serving the SUBJECT TELEPHONE during any such communications, for the period from July 14, 2012, until 11:00 a.m. Eastern Time on the date that the Court issues the warrant.

To the extent that the information described in the previous two paragraphs (hereinafter, "Location Information") is within the possession, custody, or control of Verizon Wireless, Verizon Wireless is required to disclose the Location Information to the government. In addition, Verizon Wireless must furnish the government all information, facilities, and technical assistance necessary to accomplish the collection of the Location Information unobtrusively and with a minimum of interference with Verizon Wireless' services, including by initiating a signal to determine the location of the SUBJECT TELEPHONE on Verizon Wireless' network or with such other reference points as may be reasonably available, and at such intervals and times directed by the government. The government shall compensate Verizon Wireless for reasonable expenses incurred in furnishing such facilities or assistance.

To the extent that the Location Information includes tangible property, wire or electronic communications (as defined in 18 U.S.C. \S 2510), or stored wire or electronic information, there is reasonable necessity for the seizure. See 18 U.S.C. \S 3103a(b)(2).